

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method and apparatus for controlling an operative setting of a communications link is provided. The
5 communications link is capable of acquiring a plurality of operative settings. Audio quality in the communications link under different operative settings is compared and an operative setting is selected at least in part on the basis of this comparison. A control signal is sent to at least
10 one component in the communications link to cause the communications link to attempt to acquire the selected setting.